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"METHOD OF PROCESSING STARCH GRAIN MATERIAL  
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING FERMENTED  
PRODUCT USING THE PROCESSED MATERIAL"

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**THE PROCESSED MATERIAL"**

Enclosed are:

X 4 sheets of drawings  
X An Assignment of the invention to: **KONISHI FERMENTATION RESEARCH**  
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X Declaration and Power of Attorney  
X Preliminary Amendment

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Total Claims	<u>7</u>	-20 = <u>0</u>	X \$ 9.00	\$ 18.00	\$ <u>0</u>
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